

REPORT BRANCH LIBRARY PLANS

Director J. D. Welch Tells Board Arrangements Have Practically Been Made.

TO BE NEW FEATURE IN CITY
Many Volumes Will Be Placed in Proposed School and in Station on South Side.

Arrangements have practically been completed assuring Rock Island of its first branch library. At the meeting of the Rock Island public library board last night Director J. D. Welch reported that he and Director H. P. Simpson had taken up with the school board, the matter of establishing a branch library in the proposed new school building on Eighteenth avenue and Thirty-third street and had made satisfactory arrangements.

The branch library will be on the first floor of the building, in the northeast corner, a room 32 by 14 feet. A librarian will be placed in charge and as many volumes as possible will be placed on the shelves. It is planned to also open a branch in South Rock Island, the exact location for this one not as yet having been determined.

The branch libraries will be a new feature for Rock Island. The library has school libraries for the pupils, but the branch to be installed in the Eighteenth avenue building will be for the general public and there will be a librarian on hand to take care of the wants of the patrons. There is every indication that the new plan will meet with a warm reception on the part of the public and it will have the effect of placing many volumes of literature in neighborhoods remote from the main building.

Miss Ellen Gale, the librarian, gave her annual report last night which was approved and ordered to be sent to the city council for acceptance. The book committee presented a list of books, recommending their purchase. They will be secured and placed for distribution immediately.

Bills for the month amounted to \$84.05, as reported by the finance committee.

Circulation Report.

The librarian's report for the month of April follows:

Magazine and general works	100	19
Philosophy	42	42
Religion	26	42
Sociology	41	42
Fairy tales and myths	182	379
Philology	7	7
Natural science	44	159
Industrial arts	146	24
Fine arts	9	23
Literature	7	24
History	116	97
Travel	5	127
Biography	26	34
Fiction	3,167	1,418
Totals	3,900	2,072
Total circulation	3,900	2,072
Reference	1,131	1,131
Grand total	5,031	3,203
Received from fines, etc., and deposited with the city treasurer		\$30.14

Today's Birthdays

Frederick William, the former Prussian prince, born at Potsdam, 37 years ago today.
Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, U. S. N., retired, famous as the discoverer of the north pole, born at Creason, Pa., 63 years ago today.
Oscar W. Underwood, senior United States senator from Alabama, born at Louisville, Ky., 57 years ago today.
Philander C. Knox, United States senator from Pennsylvania, born at Brownsville, Pa., 66 years ago today.
John T. McCutcheon, celebrated cartoonist and war correspondent, born in Tippecanoe county, Ind., 49 years ago today.

CALL FOR BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received at the mayor's office until 2 o'clock p. m. May 12, for the lease of Douglas park from date until November 1, 1919.

The park is to be leased with the understanding that the city will be permitted to let the same to other parties for days that the bidder will not be using same.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

M. T. RUDGREN,
City Clerk.

Elizabeth Blackwell, the first woman in America to qualify as a physician, received her degree of M. D. at Geneva, N. Y., in 1848.

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THE SITUATION TODAY IN RUSSIA



1—The new advance of the Siberian army of Admiral Kolchak on the river Kama toward Kazan makes a gain of 190 miles in five weeks, and brings them within 100 miles of Volga river. The Kama river advance is in the center of a 400 mile front and endangers the bolshevik positions east of the Volga. Both banks of the river have been cleared for a distance of more than two hundred miles. At the capture of Sarapul 2,500 prisoners, 200 railroad cars, and 26 guns and ammunition were captured. Savapoul, southwest of Perm was taken by Kolchak forces. Much war material and a number of bolshevik leaders were captured.

2—The bolshevik troops facing General Denekine in south Russia are reported to be badly demoralized as a result of the advance of the Kolchak forces toward the Volga.

3—Reports from Sebastopol via Saloniki indicate that the bolsheviks have not been able to follow up their recent victory in the Crimea.

4—General Petlura, the Ukrainian peasant leader, is fighting on two fronts. He is gaining against the bolsheviks but losing against the Poles.

5—The Poles are reported to have broken through the Ukrainian front in the Lemberg sector.

6—Vilna has been captured by the Poles. The railway from Vilna south to Lida is in the hands of the Poles.

7—Russian troops operating with the allies on the Murmansk front have advanced within striking distance of Lake Onega. Vojmosalma, 30 miles east of Uroosodero, was captured and the reds pursued towards Povenets. The allies are now 10 miles south of Uroosodero, on the Murmansk railroad.

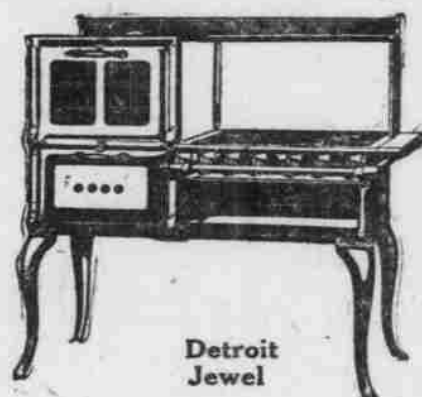
CASE PRESENTED TO JOHN MURRIN IN APPRECIATION

"Just a token of appreciation," was the way the employees of the city water works who were gathered informally at the home of George Etzel, 1229 Eleventh street, last evening, expressed themselves when they presented Commissioner John Murrin with a handsome silver spectacle case.

About 25 employees were present and Commissioner Murrin was so overcome at the generosity shown that he was unable for the first time in his life, as he expressed it today, to respond with a toast. He, however, managed to recover his poise in time to express his thanks for the splendid gift. The case is suitably engraved: "From the city employees."

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CALLS MEETING OF SCOUT BODY

Annual Session of Directing Council Will be Held at Rock Island Club Tomorrow.

The annual meeting of the Rock Island council of the Boy Scouts of America is to be held at 12:15, noon, tomorrow at the Rock Island club.

Reports of the president and treasurer will be read. The officers of the local council are urging every council member to be present at the meeting, as matters important to the work locally will be considered. The work is progressing in a fine manner and is being built up slowly on a firm basis so as to have an effective organization.

New scoutmasters are being secured and these men are getting hold of the work in fine shape. The officers of the local council are M. E. Strieter, president; F. O. Van Galder, vice president; Paul Preston, commissioner; K. T. Anderson, treasurer, and D. B. Bergquist, scout executive.

GERMANS COUNT CATTLE.

Coblentz—German officials continue to take inventories of cattle and foodstuffs generally throughout the American occupied area. As a rule a farmer found to have three cows is ordered by the authorities to sell one to the local government. Each farmer possessing one fresh milk cow is required to deliver one pound of butter each week to the burgomaster of his district for which he receives four marks. Similar regulations apply to all foodstuffs, heavy fines being imposed in all cases of non-compliance.

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\$2. Tailored and Sport Hats, worth up to \$7.50.

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\$2. Lids for Kids for all ages in all styles and colors, worth up to \$4.

Ostrich Plumes, worth up to \$5 **\$2.**

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